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SUBJECT: PRODUCT OPPORTUNITY: CHASSIS FOR BUSES

1. TAIWAN HIGHWAY BUREAU (THB) URGENTLY NEEDS INFORMATION ON SPECIFICATIONS AND TECHNICAL STANDARDS FOR USE IN ISSUING TENDERS FOR IMPORTING BUS CHASSIS. SPECIFICATIONS/ STANDARDS COULD BE CIVILIAN OR FEDERAL GOVERNMENT, MILITARY SPECS, OR INDUSTRY ASSOCIATIONS. WE UNDERSTAND THAT THB WILL USE THESE SPECIFICATIONS TO FORMULATE FUTURE BIDS ON BUS CHASSIS, POSSIBLY IN FAVOR OF U.S. SOURCE. LISTING RECEIVED BY EMBASSY, WHICH COVERS THE WHOLE PROJECT, IS AS FOLLOWS:

- (1) ENGINE PERFORMANCE, ESPECIALLY SPECIFIC FUEL CONSUMPTION,
- (2) VEHICLE PERFORMANCE, ESPECIALLY MAXIMUM SPEED,
- (3) GROSS VEHICLE WEIGHT RATING, USEFUL LOADS AND CHASSIS WEIGHT, AND
- (4) MATERIALS AND STRENGTH OF CHASSIS FRAME.

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THE LATTER TWO ITEMS PERTAIN TO THE CHASSIS WHICH WILL BE IMPORTED FOR BUS ASSEMBLY.

2. EMBASSY REQUESTS MAJOR PRODUCTS TO CHECK WITH U.S. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, AS WELL AS USDOC'S INDUSTRY EXPERTS IN OBRA. SPECIFICATIONS CHOSEN AND LEVEL OF STANDARDS TO BE SUGGESTED TO THB SHOULD ACCENTUATE

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